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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

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Sir:

This responds to the January 14, 2008, Notice to Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures (the "Notice to Comply") received from the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application. A response is due by February 14, 2008; thus, this response is timely filed.

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